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### Kyoto University Life Science Showcase 2020, San Diego

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### KULS2020 - A showcase event introducing KYOTO biotech startups

# Date And Time

Fri, February 28, 2020 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM PST Add to Calendar

# About this Event

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We would like to inform all attendees that we are planning to hold "Kyoto University Life Science Showcase 2020, San Diego" as planned on February 28th. As the outbreak of Coronavirus (COVID-19) has been an issue of concern for global health, we are closely monitoring the situation and taking necessary precautions. We are assessing that all participants from Japan have neither traveled to China nor experienced fever/respiratory symptoms in the last two weeks. Based on the information collected so far, we believe that the situation will not cause any interruptions to the schedule. However, we will continue to carefully monitor the situation and will follow guidelines issued by governments and authorities in the US and Japan. We suggest visiting the CDC website (https://www.odc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html) for additional information on COVID-19. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us at kurosd@mail2.adm.kyoto-u.ac.jp. (Feb 21, 2020)

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#### Location

Roth Auditorium at Sanford Consortium for Regenerative Medicine 2880 Torrey Pines Scenic Drive La Jolla, CA 92037 United States View Map

In this event, we will introduce biotech startups with novel technologies and seeds from Kyoto University, Japan. We aim to connect US investors to Japanese academia-oriented startup companies. This will be an excellent opportunity to discover promising startups still in their early stages.

The technologies and seeds in the following fields:

- Pharmaceuticals
- Diagnostics
- Regenerative medicine
- Medical devices

The event schedule:

- 9:00 am Registration
- 9:30 am Opening remark
- 9:50 am Showcase (15min presentation and 25min discussion/each)
- 12:00 pm Lunch
- 1:00 pm Showcase (15min presentation and 25min discussion/each)

- · 3:10 pm Reception (Networking)
- 5:00 pm Adjourn

For details, ask at kurcsd@mail2.adm.kyoto-u.ac.jp.

#### Presenting companies:

#### 9:50-10:30

 Department of Drug Discovery for Lung Diseases, Kyoto University - Innovate the drug discovery for respiratory diseases using iPS-cell technology

### 10:30-11:10

 Therabiopharma - Development of curcumin monoglucuronide (CMG) as an anticancer drug for phase I/II clinical trials of refractory and rare cancers, glioblastoma and drug-resistant multiple myeloma

#### 11:20-12:00

 Cyfuse Biomedical - Creation of functional tissue with a novel scaffold-free bio 3D printing technology

### 13:00-13:40

 Quadlytics - Offering epilepsy patients world's first clinically approved seizure prediction software

### 13:40-14:20

 Oligogen - Development of drug and cell therapy products using novel human neural stem cells "OligoGenie"

#### 14:30-15:10

 KinoPharma - Innovative therapeutic drug development for cervical intraepithelial neoplasia (CIN) through industry-university collaboration













# Commentators:

- Susie Harborth (COO, BioLabs; COO/CFO, Mission BioCapital)
- Jay Kunin, PhD (Boards of PharmaSecure, Inc. and Sironis, Inc.)
- Daria Mochly-Rosen, PhD (Professor of Chemical and Systems Biology at the Stanford University, Stanford SPARK)
- Charles E Prussak, PhD (Director of the Cell Therapy Translational Laboratory (CTTL), UCSD)

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### Organizer of Kyoto University Life Science Showcase 2020, San Diego

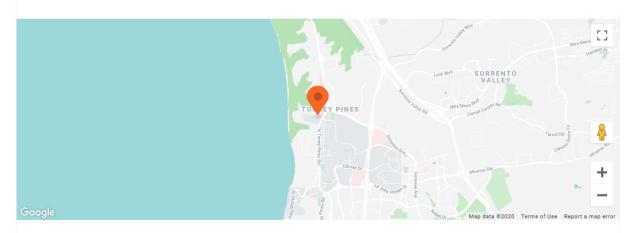
Kyoto University is the second national university in Japan, founded in 1897. Kyoto University has many world-class scientists such as recent Nobel laureates Prof. Shinya Yamanaka (for the discovery of iPSC factors) and Prof. Tasuku Honjo (for the discovery of a novel cancer Immunotherapy target PD-L1).

Kyoto University launched its first oversea research centers in 2018. KURC-SD (Kyoto University Research Center, San Diego) is the first oversea wet laboratory in the Center for Novel Therapeutics building (CNT) at UCSD campus, located between Moores Cancer Center (MCC) and La Jolla Institute for Immunology (LJI).

Our goal is to expand international collaboration with UCSD and other institutes in the San Diego region both in research and education, connect people in Japan and the U.S. to develop world-leading science for a better future.

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